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FIELD OF THE INVENTION

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BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

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SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

The invention will now be described by way of example only and with reference to the following drawings in which:

Figure 1 is a schematic diagram of a first example of a hydrogen supply system according to the present invention,

Figure 2 is a schematic diagram of a second example of a hydrogen supply system according to the present invention,

Figure 3 is a schematic diagram of a third example of a hydrogen supply system according to the present invention,

Figure 4 is a schematic diagram of a fourth example of a hydrogen supply system according to the present invention,

Figure 5 is a graph showing hydrogen absorption for the  $\text{Ca}_{0.7}\text{Mn}_{0.3}\text{Ni}_5$  material following a 2.3 - 3.5 bars pressure change at 38°C,

Figure 6 is a graph showing hydrogen absorption for the  $\text{Ca}_{0.7}\text{Mn}_{0.3}\text{Ni}_5$  material following a 3.5 - 2.7 bars pressure change at 38°C,

Figure 7 is a graph showing absorption isotherms for  $\text{LaNi}_{4.7}\text{Al}_{0.3}$  at temperatures ranging from 27 to 50°C,

Figure 8 is a graph showing desorption isotherms for  $\text{LaNi}_{4.7}\text{Al}_{0.3}$  at temperatures ranging from 28 to 50°C,

Figure 9 is a graph showing hydrogen absorption for the  $\text{MgH}_2$  1 wt% Ni material at 300°C; and

Figure 10 is a graph showing hydrogen desorption for the  $\text{MgH}_2$  1 wt% Ni material at 300°C.

#### DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION